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**Implementation of Renewables  
Portfolio Standard Legislation**

**and**

**Implementation of Renewables  
Investment Plan Legislation**

) **Docket No. 03-RPS-1078**  
) **RPS Proceeding**  
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) **Docket No. 02-REN-1038**  
) **Renewable Energy Program**  
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) **Notice of Availability**  
) **RE: Guideline Revisions for**  
) **Renewable Energy Program and**  
) **RPS Implementation**

## **Notice of Availability**

**Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook**  
**Publication No. CEC-300-2007-006-CMF**

**New Renewable Facilities Program Guidebook**  
**Publication No. CEC-300-2007-002-CMF**

**Existing Renewable Facilities Program Guidebook**  
**Publication No. CEC-300-2007-005-CMF**

**Consumer Education Program Guidebook**  
**Publication No. CEC-300-2007-004-CMF**

**Overall Guidebook for the Renewable Energy Program**  
**Publication No. 300-2007-003-CMF**

At its March 14, 2007 Business Meeting, the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) adopted changes to the following five guidebooks relating to California's Renewable Energy Program:

- *Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook.* This guidebook describes the eligibility requirements and process for certifying renewable resources as eligible for California's Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) and Supplemental Energy Payments (SEPs) and describes how the Energy Commission will design and implement an accounting system to verify compliance with the RPS.
- *New Renewable Facilities Program Guidebook.* This guidebook describes how the Energy Commission will allocate and award SEPs to cover the above-market costs of renewable energy.

- *Existing Renewable Facilities Program Guidebook*. This guidebook describes the Energy Commission's process for awarding production incentives to existing in-state renewable generating facilities.
- *Consumer Education Program Guidebook*. This guidebook describes the requirements for how the Energy Commission will award funding under the Consumer Education Program.
- *Overall Program Guidebook*. This guidebook describes specific aspects of how the Energy Commission's Renewable Energy Program is administered.

The adopted guidebooks include errata incorporated by reference and presented by staff at the March 14, 2007 Business Meeting and accepted by the Energy Commission. The errata provide staff clarifications to the text of the *Guidebooks* based on party comments received during the comment period and received during the business meeting. The revised notice of errata is available on the Energy Commission's website at [\[www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/notices/index.html\]](http://www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/notices/index.html).

These *Guidebooks* are available free from the Energy Commission's Website at: [\[www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/documents/index.html\]](http://www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/documents/index.html).

Anyone may obtain print copies by contacting the Energy Commission's Publications Unit at (916) 654-5200 or by sending a written request along with \$5 per copy per *Guidebook* to:

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